



## Franklin H. La Flair

July 24, 1939 - October 13, 2021

La Flair, Franklin H., October 13, 2021 age 82 of Westland. Former husband of Diane La Flair. Loving father of Craig (Jen) La Flair, Bryant (Janet) La Flair, and Tara La Flair. Proud "Papa" of Kiley, Julia, and Kendall. Dear brother of Penny (Bob) Oade. Frank was a special needs teacher with the Livonia Public Schools for many years. He was handy with woodworking and other home projects, and loved to golf. Frank was a proud Marine, serving his country for 3 years. There will be a private interment at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly. Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 501 St Jude PL, Memphis, TN 38105-9959. To share a memory or message of condolence, please click on the 'Share a Memory' tab on the web page.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Franklin H. La Flair*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Dear Frank - Our lives unfold like a broad highway. You have traveled long and wisely. You have a good family, friends, a fulfilling career in education, military service as a United States Marine, and a golden retirement. It makes me deeply sad that our shared time is ended, but your spirit survives. Journey on, dear brother of mine. Love, Penny*

**Penny LaFlair Oade** - October 27, 2021 at 07:07 PM



“ *Frank was such a great neighbor at Rivergate! He loved working outside to make his place look “picture perfect!” And, boy it sure did! He had the prettiest deck in the neighborhood and his landscaping always looked “beautiful!” He motivated me to maintain my place too. Lol. Frank, I will miss your warm smile, your kind gestures and seeing you outside practicing your golf swing. Rivergate will never be the same! I am shocked and so saddened by your passing! God Bless You and May you Rest In Peace, Frank! With my deepest condolences to his Family and Friends! Judy Bianchi*



**Judith Bianchi** - October 18, 2021 at 10:53 PM

AC

“ Tara and Kiley,  
I am so sorry to hear about Frank. I know you were all so very close. I hope you can take some comfort in all the memories you have with him.

Your whole family is in my thoughts.  
Love you both!

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**Angie Clark** - October 18, 2021 at 03:38 PM

RT

“ Tara & Kiley,  
I am so very sorry to hear of your loss. My sincerest sympathy. Mr. LaFlair was always so very kind and by far my favorite “patient”. He will be missed. He was so very blessed to have you both. My prayers are with you during your time of grief. God Bless.

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**Rachel Teachout** - October 18, 2021 at 02:36 PM

TP

“ My name is Terri Van Poperin and I worked with your dad for many years at Webster and Churchill High School. He ran the wood shop and together he and our special needs students filled the table at our annual craft fair with many projects. We, students and staff, will miss his big heart and his friendship. So sorry for your loss.

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**Terri Van Poperin** - October 17, 2021 at 03:40 PM

DJ

“ My name is Diane Janes and I worked with your dad at Webster with the oldest students for a number of years. A great guy; we had lots of fun with our colleagues. He will be missed. I am so very sorry for your loss.

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**Diane Lynne Janes** - October 16, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ *Frank your smiling face will truly be missed.  
Your Rivergate neighbors  
Tony & Debbie*

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**Tony Kowalczyk** - October 15, 2021 at 11:43 PM



“ *I love you dad❤️. You were the best dad a girl could ask for🥰🥰.  
Memories for eternity!!!*



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**Tara La Flair** - October 13, 2021 at 05:58 PM

DH

*Best teacher I ever had; I learned a lot from this man. R.I.P.*

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**DAVID HARE** - April 06, 2023 at 01:58 PM